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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Deadline Extended for 2020 Census Responses

WOODBINE, Ga. — October 8, 2020 — The U.S. Census Bureau has extended the deadline for 2020 Census responses until October 31, 2020. Census Takers are still working in Camden County as part of the Census Bureau's Nonresponse Followup (NRFU). Camden County residents are strongly encouraged to cooperate with Census Takers and complete the 2020 Census for their household to ensure Camden County is correctly.

"It is important for our community to count every one of our residents," said Community Engagement & Strategic Planning Manager Claire Feazel. "The 2020 Census is our official population count for the next ten years. These are the numbers that will impact our representation locally through commission districts, as well as on the State and Federal levels through our General Assembly and House of Representatives districts."

Census data is used to determine how over \$675 billion in federal funding is distributed annually. Each year over 130 different Federal programs use Census data to disburse funding. This is through both direct payments to individuals or indirectly through payments to specific programs and government entities.

Residents may still complete the 2020 Census online, by phone, or by mail. Any household that needs to complete the 2020 Census may visit my2020census.gov or call 1-844-330-2020. Households without their Census ID, may participate by clicking the option listed under the "login" button. More information, including links to an informational copy of the questionnaire (PDF), are available at: camdencountyga.gov/census.

About Camden County: Located in the extreme southeast corner of Georgia, Camden County truly is "Georgia's Coastal Community of Choice." Originally formed in 1777, Camden County is best known for its rich history, natural scenic beauty and Southern hospitality. Our vision is helping to make this the best place to live by preserving and enhancing the history and quality of life, while promoting smart growth and providing an efficient, effective and responsive government.

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